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San Ramon, CA 94583-0806**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), Applicants respectfully request that the period for responding to the Office Action of June 13, 2003, which was due in the Patent Office on December 13, 2003, be extended for three (3) months, through March 13, 2004.

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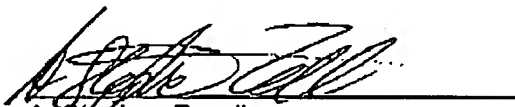
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Please charge our Deposit Account No. 03-1620 the requisite fee for a three-month extension. Two additional copies of this request are enclosed herewith.

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